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Sir:

The applicants hereby submit the following documents to complete the filing requirements for the above-identified patent application:

1. A Preliminary Amendment;
2. A copy of the English translation of the application, PCT/EP02/12243, from which the present application claims priority and a copy of the original document in German;
3. A copy of the English translation of the Amendment of the claims filed in the Chapter II proceedings of the priority application, PCT/EP02/12243 and a copy of the original document in German;

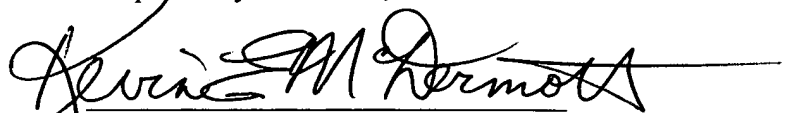
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4. A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report;
5. A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney;
6. An Assignment and an Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet; and
7. An Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449.

If the Examiner has any questions or comments relating to this submittal, the Examiner is respectfully invited to contact Applicants' attorney at the telephone number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,

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